

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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COMMERCIAL UTILISATION OF RAILWAY LAND
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have recently decided to make commercial use of vacant land and premises;
- (b) if so, the names of places where railway land and premises have been put to commercial use, zone-wise; and
- (c) the number of beneficiaries in each division and the total revenue collected therefrom?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS(SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b)& (c) : To begin with Railways have identified certain sites for commercial development. Feasibility study of each site in the first stage is being done in order to ascertain the commercial potential of such sites and action has been initiated to choose suitable developers through an open and competitive bidding process. The details of beneficiaries and revenue collection will be known only after the current process is completed.